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Girls in Saudi Arabia don't ride bikes, but Wadjda wants one more than anything. *Random House, 2015*

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by Ali Benjamin

Socially awkward and friendless, Suzy struggles to find an explanation for her ex-best friend's death. *Little, Brown, 2015*

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by Neil Gaiman • illustrated by Chris Riddell

A haunting, beautifully illustrated, reimagined mash-up of Snow White and Sleeping Beauty. *HarperCollins, 2015*

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by Karen Harrington

Seventh-grader Mysti Murphy must dig deep for courage when her do-it-all dad gets hospitalized. *Little, Brown, 2014*

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Through letters, New Yorker Meena and Kentucky-born River begin an unlikely friendship. *Candlewick, 2012*

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by Gary Schmidt

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